

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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5 A method and system for providing the creation of a visual
summary of a video source during fast forward/rewind of the video
can be created by using extracting frames either automatically or
manually to create an initial visual summary. A series of weights
may be assigned to the extracted frames, which are then filtered
according to the relative weights to create a modified visual
10 summary. The keyframe display rate is then adjusted according tot
he fast forward/rewind speed, which can be either a standard speed
or user selected speed, so as to display the keyframes while the
video source is being fast forwarded/rewound. The keyframes may be
substituted by selected images and audio, so that an advertiser can
15 substitute an image of the product and a brief audio summary while
the user is fast forwarding/rewinding past the commercial message.